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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

PELETT ET AL.

Serial No.: 08/480,850

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For: NOVEL BACULOVIRUS EXPRESSION
VECTORS AND RECOMBINANT
ANTIGENS FOR DETECTING TYPE
SPECIFIC ANTIBODIES TO HERPES
SIMPLEX VIRUS

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Sir:

In response to the Office Action issued February 3, 1998, and pursuant to the Examiner Interview on January 22, 1998 with Applicants' representative Jamie L. Greene, please consider the following remarks.

REMARKS

Claims 7, 8 and 16-21 are pending in the present application. Based on the following remarks and the accompanying Declaration under 37 C.F.R. §1.132 of Philip E. Pellett, Applicants believe the claims are in condition for allowance, and a notice to that effect is respectfully requested.

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